

It has come to my attention that the National Association of Broadcasters (NAB) has put forth a petition (04-160) that is designed to limit locally oriented programming, such as weather and traffic information, that can be received from satellite radio. This service provides information that I want, when I want it. It is a "pay for" service, and as such is not different from cable or satellite television. Why would satellite radio available programming be regulated differently from cable or satellite television?

I oppose petition 04-160 and the NAB's attempt to limit "locally oriented" programming and respectfully ask that the petition be rejected.